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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted mailed 2/11/2002, please find the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney which is necessary to make the application complete. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$430.00 to cover the filing and related fees for rendering this submission timely.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1136(a), Applicant here respectfully requests an extension of time to submit these papers, the fee for which is included in the enclosed payment. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees required in the filing of this patent application to Account No. 50-0894. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted is enclosed herewith as required by PTO policy.

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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.

  Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 435.

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